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No Troop Moves in First Guards Mechanized  
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1. There have been no major troop movements in the First Guards Mechanized Army area. The army itself is at approximately 85% of total strength. All battle units are complete and equipped with the latest postwar armament. The strength deficiency lies in auxiliaries, such as supply, communications, and other troops.
2. General Kotukov is still in command of the First Guards Mechanized Army.
3. Following are current dispositions of some of this army's components:
  - a. 45th Tank Regiment Kamenz (A41)
  - b. 44th Mech Regiment Bautzen (A60)
  - c. 7th Tank Regiment Dresden (P29)
  - d. 4th Artillery Regiment Königsbrück (A31)
  - e. 8th Artillery Regiment Königsbrück (A31)
  - f. 27th Mech Regiment Görlitz (B00)
  - g. 40th Tank Regiment Dresden (P29)
  - h. Staffs of 40th Tank Regiment and 7th Tank Regiment at Klotzsche (P29)

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Comment: 25X1A [REDACTED] -- e.g., 45th Tank Regiment instead of 45th Gds Tk Regt (45d). Some of the above information was received in garbled form. It is not certain that Items 3-d and 3-e are correct; 4th and 8th Artillery Regiments appear to be indicated and scrambling of the garble does not reveal anything more relevant to known units of First Guards Mechanized Army.

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